

B. Amendment to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph at page 40, line 19, to page 41, line 9, with the following paragraph:

--Using FBzVA etc. as a substrate, the present inventors searched microorganisms ~~which have capability~~ capable of producing PHA containing the ~~above described~~ above-described 3HFBzV etc. as a monomer unit and accumulating it in the bacterial body. Consequently, the present inventors have found that microorganisms, Pseudomonas cichorii H45 strain, Pseudomonas cichorii YN2 strain, Pseudomonas jessenii P161 strain, etc. isolated from soil and having capability of producing PHA had the desired capability. Herein, these strains have been deposited ~~in International Patent Organism Depository of General Research Institute, Independent Administrative Corporation (former Patent Organism Deposit Center of Research Institute of Life Engineering, Ministry of Economy and Industry)~~ under the terms of the Budapest Treaty with the National Institute of Bioscience and Human Technology, Agency of Industrial Science and Technology, which is located at 1-3, Higashi 1-chome, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken, 305 Japan as Deposit No. "FERM BP-7374" for the H45 strain, Deposit No. "FERM BP-7375" for the YN2 strain and Deposit No. "FERM BP-7376" for the P161 strain, respectively.--